



Mrs. Imogene Hoard McCants

July 18, 1931 - August 15, 2018

Mrs. Imogene Westmoreland Hoard McCants, age 87, of Watkinsville, GA died Wednesday, August 15, 2018 at Kindred Hospice. Mrs. McCants was born in Jefferson to the late George Washington and Macie Fambrough Westmoreland. She was a member of Tuckston United Methodist Church and was retired from the University of Georgia Alumni House. Mrs. McCants was a member of the Appalachi Chapter USDAR, Pilot Club, Red Hat Club, volunteered at Athens Regional Medical Center, and loved to play Bridge. She attended Martin Institute of Jefferson and graduated from Jefferson High School. After high school, she attended Georgia State College for Women in Milledgeville. In addition to her parents, Mrs. McCants was preceded in death by her first husband, Floyd G. "Fuzzy" Hoard; her second husband, Ralph McCants; sister, Lanelle Bivins; and brother, Albert Westmoreland.

Mrs. McCants is survived by her daughters, Peggy Hoard Suddreth of Athens, Claudine Smith (Howard) of Commerce, Vivian Hoard of Atlanta; son, G. Richard (Dickey) Hoard (Candise) of Watkinsville; nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 11 AM, Friday, August 17 at Oconee River Church with Rev. Dr. Deborah Kay Huckaby and Rev. G. Richard Hoard officiating. Interment will follow in Woodbine Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Thursday night from 5 to 7 PM and Friday from 10 to 11 AM

at Oconee River Church. Andrew Suddreth, Alex McElvey, Matt Hoard, Adam Fouche, Brad Stephens and Knox Smith will serve as pallbearers. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Oconee River Church, P.O. Box 1349, Watkinsville, GA 30677.

Little-Ward Funeral Home, Commerce is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Woodbine Cemetery

147 Athens Street
Jefferson, GA 30547

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **16**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Little-Ward Funeral Home
115 State Street
Commerce, GA 30529
(706) 335-3175
lwfh@windstream.net
<https://www.little-wardfuneralhome.com/>

Service

AUG **17**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Oconee River Church
395 Research Drive
Athens, GA 30605

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Imogene Hoard McCants*

October 09, 2023 at 05:17 AM



“ *Ms. Imogene was one of my favorites! She was a true southern lady that shared her smile and humor with so many! She will be missed dearly. My thoughts and prayers are with you Dicky, Peggy Jean, Claudine and Vivian! Cissy Potts Wood*

Ricky Wood - August 25, 2018 at 10:06 AM



“ *Imogene was a friendly lady. She will be missed. She always had a smile for every one.*

barbara - August 17, 2018 at 06:58 PM



“ *Bill Elder lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Imogene Hoard McCants*



Bill Elder - August 17, 2018 at 12:54 PM



“ *I always felt like Ms. Imogene was a second mother to me growing up. A great lady who will be missed. Sincere condolences to all of the family. She was a true blessing.*

Bill Elder - August 17, 2018 at 12:54 PM

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“ *The Alec and Ora Sue Westmoreland Family Cousins purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Mrs. Imogene Hoard McCants.*



The Alec and Ora Sue Westmoreland Family Cousins -
August 16, 2018 at 01:48 PM

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“ *Dickey, I am so sorry for the loss of your mom. Praying for you and your family.*

Lisa Wilson Mathis - August 16, 2018 at 03:14 AM



“ *All of us boys who hung out with Dickey always appreciated Imogene hosting us at all hours back in the 70s! R.I.P.*

Garry Glenn - August 15, 2018 at 07:38 PM